

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2682
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FUNDS TO STATES FOR PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Governments of Chattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Northern Eastern States, Jharkhand and Orissa have requested to provide funds to set up power projects in their respective States;
- (b) if so, the details in this regard; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard so far?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) to (c) : Central Government does not provide funds for setting up power projects in the State Sector. The Central Government, however, provides funds to N.E. Region under Non-lapsable Pool of Resources. The following projects have so far been sanctioned for release of funds: for release of funds from the non-lapsable pool.

Name of Scheme	Common Liability (Rs. in Crore)
Ranganadi HEP along with Trans. Line	53.17
Leimakhong HFO based power project	121.30
Likimro HEP	37.01
1x21 MW gas based TPP at Rokhia Phase II	85.17
HFO based Bairabi TPP	76.69
Strengthening of Sub-transmission and Distribution schemes in North-Eastern Region	52.00

In addition, a proposal has been received in the Planning Commission as part of the Memorandum submitted by the Chief Minister of Meghalaya in the Planning Commission for grant of special Additional Central Assistance of Rs.100 crore during the current year (2001-02) for various purposes including Rs.25 crores for implementation of the proposed 2x42 MW Myntdu Leshka HEP. The proposal is being processed in Planning Commission. No other proposal from Government of Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Jharkhand, Orissa and other NE States has been received.